# **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

# **ABSTRACT**

Public Servants – BCW Department – Vigilance Cell – Hyderabad District – Sri A. Savaranna, DBCWO, Khammam (Retd)., formerly DBCWO, Hyderabad District – Allegations of irregularities in disbursement of scholarships to BC/SC/ST students staying in hostels attached to the colleges – Further Action dropped – Orders – Issued.

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## **BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE (VIGILANCE CELL) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Rt.No. 205 2008. Dated the 16th June

# Read the following:

- 1. Govt. Memo No. 4298/Vig.Cell/05-1, dt: 4-10-2005.
- 2. From the Director, General (Vig.Enft) & E.O. Prl. Secretary to Government, GAD, Appraisal Note No. 206, dt: 11-8-2005.
  - 3. From the Director, B.C. Welfare, Lr.Rc.No. A2/6429/2006, dt: 12-11-2007.
  - 4. Representation dt: 19-3-2008 of Sri A. Savaranna, DBCWO, (Retd), Khammam.

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## ORDER:

Based on the news item regarding corruption in scholarships published in 'Vaartha' daily news paper on 29-9-2005 and also the Vigilance & Enforcement Appraisal Note No. 206, dt: 11-8-2005 regarding irregularities in the claim and disbursement of scholarships to BC/SC/ST students staying in Hostels attached to colleges as revealed in random enquiry in Hyderabad city, in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Director, B.C. Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad was requested to conduct discreet enquiry and send a detailed report in the matter in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above.

The Director, B.C. Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad inter alia has informed that after examination of the charges, explanation and findings of Enquiry Officer, it is found that, there is a procedural violation in so far as the DBCWO, who has not verified how much amount was distributed and how much amount was undisbursed in the Colleges. But, as per the Enquiry Officer's report the said amount has been repaid to Government and there is no financial loss. She has further stated that the individual Sri Savaranna, DBCWO has retired from service on 30-4-2007 and his performance is otherwise has been

good. The Director, B.C. Welfare has therefore requested the Government to consider the case of the individual and drop charges framed against him on humanitarian grounds in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above.

Sri A. Savaranna, DBCWO, (Retd), in his representation dt: 19-3-2008 has submitted that since there is no misappropriation of Government money and there is no loss to the State Exchequer, and that, the lapses are only procedural, and, requested the Government to consider his case sympathetically on humanitarian grounds and drop further action against him in the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above.

Government have examined the matter and a view has been taken to drop further action in view of his retirement on superannuation on 30-4-2007 and as the charges are not substantiated by Enquiry Officer and also as recommended by Director, B.C. Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.

Accordingly, after careful examination of the matter, Government here by drop further action against Sri A. Savaranna, former DBCWO, Khammam as he was retired from service as DBCWO at Hyderabad District on 30-4-2007.

The Director, B.C. Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

#### To:

The Director, B.C. Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.

### Copy to:

- 1. Sri A. Savaranna, DBCWO, Khammam, (Retd), formerly at Hyderabad District.
- 2. The Director, B.C. Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.
- 3. The Director General, V&E&E.O., Prl. Secy., to Government, GAD.

(With reference to their Appraisal Note No. 206 dt: 11-8-2005)

- 4. The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, APVC, Hyderabad. (with reference to their No. 124470/VC-E12005-2, dt: 27-10-2006.
- 5. The DTO, Khammam for information.
- 6. The A.G., A.P., Hyderabad.
- 7. PA to JS.
- 8. SF/SCs:2.